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Woman jumps from house fire

LONG ISLAND. A police officer miraculously caught a woman who jumped from the roof of her burning Dix Hills home Thursday night.

Anita Bareja, 37, called 911 just before 3 a.m. to report that her home, on Seaman Neck Road, was on fire and she was trapped on the roof.

Suffolk County Police Officer William O'Rourke convinced Bareja to jump and he would catch her, which he did. Both she and O'Rourke were transported to Huntington Hospital for treatment of minor injuries. **● METRO/CB**

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▶ Alleged bank thief

Brooklyn bank robber wanted

WILLIAMSBURG. The NYPD is looking for a man who they say tried to rob an HSBC bank branch on Bedford Avenue in Williamsburg on Monday, June 27. Police say the man entered the bank just after 11:30 a.m. Monday, and passed a note to the teller demanding cash. When the teller refused, the man fled, said police. The man, in his 40s, was last seen wearing a gray fisherman's hat and sunglasses. **● METRO/CB**

Clubs can pop up, too

NEW YORK. The hottest nightclubs are not where you might expect, popping up in laundromats, office buildings and dim sum parlors across the boroughs, according to The New York Times. Some of the "clubs" lack proper liquor licenses, causing clashes with law enforcement.

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July Fourth. Tradition



▶ Tim Janus, left, and the winner, Joey "Jaws" Chestnut, right, compete in last year's hot dog eating competition at Nathan's.

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Nathan's annual hot dog contest

What would July Fourth in New York be without Nathan's Famous International Hot Dog Eating Contest? Last year's winner Joey "Jaws" Chestnut will defend his title for the fifth year in a row on Monday on Surf Avenue in Coney Island. **● METRO/CB**

Man charged with sneaking onto flight

- ▶ FBI agents say he used an expired boarding pass and wrong name
- ▶ Talked his way through security checkpoints at JFK ▶ Faces jail time

A Nigerian man will be in court Friday to face charges of sneaking onto a plane at JFK last week.

Federal agents said Olajide Oluwaseun Noibi used another man's boarding pass to board a Virgin America flight last Friday, flying nonstop to Los Angeles and spending nearly a week in California before being arrested on Wednesday.

In an affidavit, Federal Bureau of Investigation agent Kevin Hogg said flight attendants noticed something was amiss when they were already in the air,

as Noibi sat in seat 3E, which was supposed to be empty.

Checking the manifest, they did not see his name, and asked for a boarding pass.

"Noibi initially hesitated in responding to the flight crew's request for identification," Hogg said in the affidavit.

He pulled out a University of Michigan ID and a boarding pass marked for the day before — with a different name.

Flight attendants said they didn't think he was a threat, as he slept most of

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In Noibi's bags, agents said they found 10 boarding passes in other people's names.

the flight.

However, federal agents were waiting for Noibi when he tried to board another flight Wednesday, headed for Atlanta at 6:10 a.m. He again produced a day-old boarding pass, and officers arrested him.

He told Delta employees that he missed his flight,

according to the affidavit, "and 'they' told him he could just go to the gate."

Noibi told officers he was traveling to Los Angeles to recruit people for his software business.

An FBI source told Metro that the incident did not prompt increased security, but that security will be heightened this weekend anyway for the Fourth of July holiday.

In a statement, Virgin said they were cooperating with the FBI.



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▶ Abedin

Weiner's wife takes a break

QUEENS. Ex-Congressman Anthony Weiner's wife is taking some time off. Huma Abedin will take a few weeks away from her job at the State Department — and from her sexting hus-

band. The New York Post reports that Abedin, 35, who is pregnant, will relax somewhere while she reportedly tries to decide how and whether to make their marriage work.

Meanwhile, Weiner is set to go to rehabilitation in an undisclosed location. Weiner resigned two weeks ago after explicit photos surfaced that he had sent. **● METRO/AB**

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Whooping cough spreading

SMITHTOWN, NY. Dozens of people have been infected

with whooping cough on Long Island, mostly children. Whooping cough, the common name for pertussis, is a highly contagious bacterial disease that causes uncontrollable, violent coughing. The number of infected children has jumped from

13 to nearly 40, spreading from elementary schools in Smithtown. The cough can be cured with antibiotics, but untreated, can lead to death. ● METRO/EAE

Four charged in repeated rape

CROWN HEIGHTS. Four men have been arrested for allegedly raping, beating and pimping out a Brooklyn woman for eight years, beginning when she was just 13 years old. Damien Crooks, 31, Jamli Brockett, 27, Jawara Brockett, 33, and Darrell

Dula, 24, were taken into police custody Wednesday. Crooks, who has 37 prior arrests, was held on a \$1 million bail. The woman came forward about her ordeal when the men allegedly threatened to do the same to her younger sister. Her

professor, a former prosecutor, was the first person she confided in about the attacks. ● METRO/EAE

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Opinion

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"THE REAL HOUSEWIVES OF NEW YORK CITY" ALEX MCCORD

REMEMBER:
DON'T LET
HATERS WIN

Brooklyn's own Alex McCord, one of the "Real Housewives of New York City," returns with her column for Metro. This week, she gives advice on how to fight back against haters, both in the office and otherwise.

Do you ever have one of those days where you'd like to take a harpoon, a javelin, or perhaps, in offices with no traditional weapons laying around, a large stapler, and fling it at your co-worker's head? Whether it's reality television, a cosmetics company or an insurance firm, crazy-makers exist everywhere — it's how you deal with them that counts.

I could look back and long for the good old days when people stayed for years, even a lifetime, at one company. When basic civility was enforced and a level of formality outside the home prevented petty drama from polluting the office environment.

Except I don't think those days ever really existed. People haven't changed. It's just that, thanks to 21st century tools like social networking, the definition of news, and that anyone can become infamous with a cell phone video and a YouTube account, we now see what people really think of us, 24/7 and unedited.

It would be easy and simple to just ignore them. The problem is, in our fast-paced culture where attention deficits are praised as multitasking, if haters are loud and persistent, people listen. Burying your head in the sand will get you nothing but an itchy scalp.

So how does one cope? Whether your fish bowl is 20 people or 2 million people, the principle is the same: If you let haters get

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"Develop rhino skin, focus on what it is you want to get out of your current job, and have your verbal weapons ready for the one moment you choose to pounce on the haters."

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under your skin, you'll feel ganged up on, defensive and angry.

My Southern belle of a mom always said that the negative things people say about you usually reflect their own personal hang-ups. If someone accuses you of being a brown-noser in the office, they are probably a bigger one. If someone suggests you're faking expense reports — and I'm assuming here that you haven't actually charged \$1,000 worth of concert tickets on the company credit card — perhaps they're deflecting attention away from something else.

Develop rhino skin, focus on what it is you want to get out of your current job, and have your verbal weapons ready for the one moment you choose to pounce. You don't have to dwell on what haters say, be offended by it or give it much thought — except to plan your checkmate move. That's the biggest mistake I see out there: People get bogged down by an emotional reaction to the bile that others spew, and get distracted by the fallout.

Don't let distraction happen; that's what they want. Just because someone shouts louder than you do doesn't make their argument true. Remember that life, and office politics, are a tactical game.

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WEEKEND

A midlife disaster

TV watch list

'The Twilight Zone' MARATHON

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Fireworks

SPECIAL. If you prefer uttering your "oohs" and "ahhs" from the comfort of your air-conditioned couch this Fourth, check out the fireworks displays from New York City ("Macy's 4th of July Fireworks Spectacular," Monday, 9 p.m., NBC), Boston ("Boston Pops Fireworks Spectacular," Monday, 10 p.m., CBS) or D.C. ("A Capitol Fourth," 8 p.m., PBS). **AMBER RAY**

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► Tom Hanks is a happy-go-lucky guy in "Larry Crowne," which hits theaters Friday.

► Tom Hanks didn't have to go to college to become Hollywood royalty, but 'Larry Crowne' isn't so lucky

Tom Hanks is the first to admit that "Larry Crowne," his new comedy about a middle-aged man who goes back to college after losing his job, is something of a hard sell in the crowded, superhero-heavy summer movie season. "How do we compete in the marketplace?" Hanks asks. "Forgive me, I haven't the slightest f—ing idea."

"You know, you say, here we are in a summer of big-time blockbusters. It's not the summer — it's year-round," he says. "You could interview all the marketing gurus, and they'll all talk about release dates and counter-programming and blah blah blah. But at the end of the day, it's got to be a good movie, it's got to be a funny movie and it's got to make people think, 'Hey, I couldn't have spent my time any better.'" A tall order, to be sure. But as director, co-writer and the face of Crowne, Hanks is more than up to the challenge.

The story of a man head-

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"College isn't necessary for everybody."

TOM HANKS, ON HIS OWN SUCCESS DESPITE DROPPING OUT OF COLLEGE

ing to college in his 50s might make most people think midlife crisis, but for Hanks that doesn't begin to cover it. "It's not a midlife crisis, it's a midlife disaster," he says. "Midlife crisis is when you wake up with everything — 'Oh, I have everything but I'm still unhappy.' That doesn't happen to Larry. Larry thinks it's the greatest day in the world and he gets fired."

Hanks might not be the most obvious choice for a movie championing the importance of higher education, though. "You're talking to a guy who left college after his third year because I began work in the field that I was studying for," he explains. "Someone offered me

a job as an actor, and I was studying the theater at the time." He did, however, speak at Yale's graduation this year, though it isn't likely this sentiment was included in his speech: "College isn't necessary for everybody."

And while not graduating college did work out OK for Hanks — and his co-star Julia Roberts, as well — he is quick to point out that he and his leading lady still remember the tough times.

"There is a time for both of us where we're living in a rented house in the Valley that we cannot afford, we have been fired from the job that we had and it's now been 13 months since you've actually worked in the city and the phone still is not yet ringing," Hanks says. "And you wonder if in fact you're going to take the job at the Wienerschnitzel on Laurel Canyon. When you have that moment, that never quite goes away."

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'Transformers'
Michael Bay in Moscow to spite his grandpa

Russian movie fans were the first to see the "Transformers: Dark of the Moon" at a glammed-up, red carpet world premiere



► Tyrese Gibson, Rosie Huntington-Whiteley, Shia LaBeouf, Josh Duhamel and Michael Bay at the "Transformers: Dark of the Moon" junket in Moscow last week.

which opened the 33rd Moscow International Film Festival.

"You know, my granddad was from Russia," the 46-year-old director of the

series, Michael Bay, shared. "My granddad always said nothing good would come out of me and that all my life I'd work as a PE teacher. And so to

spite him, I am holding the premiere in Moscow!"

Everyone was also interested to know if Bay was afraid to shoot the third "Transformers" movie, after the second film had been denounced by critics as the worst of the year. "I find this particular question offensive, but nevertheless, I will answer it," Bay began. "Millions flocked to the theaters to see the second movie — not bad for the 'worst movie of the year,' right?"

Bay had a question of his own: "It's interesting — will the 'best movie of the year' be able to brag about something similar? As for the third movie — thanks to many innovations — [it] has, in my view, turned out to be even better."

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He will be your father figure

John C. Reilly plays a guiding light to misfit teens in 'Terri' Why he loved working with the first-time actors on the set of this tender coming-of-age story

While he often plays big and loud onscreen, don't expect John C. Reilly to raise his voice in real life. "I'm much more kind of Socratic when I have a conflict with somebody," Reilly says. "I always say to my wife, 'If we're yelling at our children, we've lost.' As soon as you raise your voice, that means you don't have any more tools in your toolbox to figure out what you're trying to figure out."

That attitude meant his latest project, "Terri," was something of a stretch. Reilly plays Mr. Fitzgerald, a blowhard of a high school principal trying to understand the title character Terri (newcomer Jacob Wysocki), an obese, socially awkward orphan who takes to wearing pajamas every day. "It was actually hard to do all that," Reilly says of the onscreen tantrums. "That wasn't the most fun part."

Highlights for him included working with Wysocki and other young co-stars. "I've done, like, 50-something movies, so working with somebody where it's their first or second movie is a great glimpse back into your own past," Reilly says. "That sense of optimism and enthusiasm

Quoted "I always related to people younger than me and [have] been kind of a big brother kind of person — or weird uncle kind of person."

JOHN C. REILLY

and fresh eyes is contagious, as opposed to working with a bunch of actors your age or older where everyone tends to kick back and drink coffee and be like, 'You know what's wrong with this? Clearly they have no idea.' That is just, like, death."

That affinity for a youthful crowd is nothing new for Reilly. "I've always related to younger people throughout my life, even when I was younger myself," he says. "I always related to people younger than me and [have] been kind of a big brother kind of person — or weird uncle kind of person. And I think younger people really appreciate it when you treat them like human beings and not like kids or whatever."

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John C. Reilly stars in "Terri," which opens in select theaters on Friday.

Also opening

'Monte Carlo'

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The stage is practically bare. A little nook in the back brick wall gleams with lines of red votive candle-holders, flames flickering within. High in the air dangle photos of tap ancestors, notably the late Gregory Hines and Jimmy Slyde. Black speakers send out the sounds of Glover's incredibly articulate dancing, and the occa-

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Savion Glover's "SoLe Sanctuary" runs through July 9 at the Joyce Theatre.

and the riffs of generations of dancers from whom he learned his craft.

Davis, in green and beige, has a different style and attack, more the "hitting" of Glover's middle period. Pay attention to both of them; their rhythms sound like pre-verbal rap. They tap different patterns with each foot; sometimes Glover hangs back, providing the

bass line for Davis' riffs.

"SoLe Sanctuary" is a magnificent, sophisticated evening of dancing-as-percussion; you could close your eyes and just listen, but then you'd miss the beatific expression on Glover's face and his obvious pleasure in his sweaty, sacred work.

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The Independence Day week-end festivities will include a dynamic firework extravaganza on Monday featuring two separate displays synced to music produced by the nationally acclaimed Fireworks by Grucci. As the largest fireworks display in New Jersey, the first show will illuminate the skies above the Marina District starting at 9:20 p.m. with another display beginning at 9:45 p.m. along the Boardwalk. The combined

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► Other viewing options

For the party crowd, **Cruisin' One** departs from Gardner's Basin to view the Marina fireworks, and includes an on-board DJ and cash bar. The cruise departs at 8 p.m. and tickets are \$30 per person. For more information, visit www.atlanticcitycruises.com.

For a more family-oriented option, **Jessie O' Fishing & Cruises** is offering a tour of the back bay to view the fireworks. It departs from Captain Andy's Marina at 8 p.m., with tickets at \$30 per person. Visit www.jessieofishing.com for info.

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► **Easy Star All-Stars**
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► Uncle Kracker

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Initially a drummer, Chris Cornell soon moved on to front the band, writing songs alongside guitarist Kim Thayil and bassist Hiro Yamamoto. Their music has a jagged, sinister drone, its atonal ferocity deeply at odds with the synth-pop and hair metal which was dominating the airwaves when they formed in 1984.

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FAST FIVE (PG-13) 7:50, 11:00.

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GREEN LANTERN (PG-13) 10:00,

10:45, 1:00, 1:45, 4:00, 4:45, 7:00,

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GREEN LANTERN 3D (PG-13)

11:00, 2:00, 5:00, 8:00, 11:00.

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BUMMER SUMMER (PG) 11:05,

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LARRY CROWNE (PG-13) 10:15,

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MIDNIGHT IN PARIS (PG-13)

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MONTE CARLO (PG) 10:50,

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MR. POPPER'S PENGUINS (PG)

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PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN:

ON STRANGER TIDES (PG-13)

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ON STRANGER TIDES IN DISNEY

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THE TREE OF LIFE (PG-13) 10:05,

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X-MEN: FIRST CLASS (PG-13)

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KUNG FU PANDA 2 (PG) 10:50,

1:15, 3:50, 6:20. Digital Projection

MONTE CARLO (PG) 11:10, 1:50,

4:40, 7:20, 10:10. Digital

Presentation

MR. POPPER'S PENGUINS (PG)

12:30, 3:10, 5:35, 8:00, 10:20

PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN:

ON STRANGER TIDES (PG-13)

8:50, 11:50. Digital Projection

SUPER 8 (PG-13) Fri and Sat

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X-MEN: FIRST CLASS (PG-13)

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LARRY CROWNE (PG-13) 10:55,

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BRIDESMAIDS (R) 12:30, 3:45,

6:35, 9:25, 12:20. Digital

Presentation

CARS 2 (G) 10:15, 12:05, 12:55,

2:45, 3:35, 5:30, 6:15, 8:15, 11:00

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The feed ...

► On Fridays, Dorothy will post the best tweets she received during the week. You can always let her know what you think — good or bad — at @dorothyatmetro.

This week, we asked readers (and a few co-workers) to shout out what they'll be doing for the Fourth of July.



► @MightyQuinn28 LBI with in-laws this weekend and then The Roots at the Art Museum on Monday in Philly! Oh and Jameson and lots of it.

► @artshimko I'll be in Philly for the Fourth celebrating w/my Russian wife and a friend visiting for Moscow. WE'VE COME A LONG WAY BABY!

► @TraOsbourne Girlfriends getaway in Atlantic City!

► @mfstaples for the 4th, working in the morning, selling USA product that has been outsourced globally, then Boston pops+fireworks!

► @NYC_Problems grilling, eating, watching, and relaxing! Like any good 4th should be!

► @wisemana partyyyyyy!!!!

► @metrousmusic This Fourth I'll be celebrating my Dad's 75th, my sister-in-law's 50th (she's a real Yankee Doodle Dandy, born on the Fourth of July) and basically celebrating independence with lots of watery domestic beer.

► @clubandcountry This 4th I will show off my national pride at my very first Pakistani wedding! Congrats @KSchachern & @Sameer_Rashid!

THE WORD



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Not that I mind keeping you informed about which celebrity is sleeping with a married co-star or if some TV star is in rehab, or filling you in when a B-list celebrity from the '80s has married their Shih Tzu (it is important work, I realize this!), but I think the thing I'm looking forward to most this three-day weekend is getting a break from writing about various celebrities and their crazy antics for this column. So as we take a moment to celebrate our independence from the British (happy 235th, America!), I asked Metro staffers which celebrity they want freedom from and why. Me? **Kim Kardashian**. The fact that I can spell her name without Googling it shows I'm writing about her way too much.

And, of course, if you want to let me know which celebrity you'd pay to shove to the 99-cent bin of life, never to be heard from again, feel free to let me know via Twitter @dorothyatmetro. There's no way I can give that up for a weekend!

► **Brayden Simms**, "junior snark editor": I know it's died down considerably from his media torpedo of sleaze, but if I never had to read or otherwise think about **Charlie Sheen** again I could die a somewhat less miserable man.

► **Monica Weymouth**, Philadelphia entertainment editor: I want freedom — sweet freedom! — from **Ke\$ha**. The girl is like cheap vodka. She's terrible for me, she smells gross,

and yet ... and yet.

► **Heidi Patalano**, film editor: **Lindsay Lohan** — She keeps screwing up and she keeps getting more chances to keep screwing up. It's like a never-ending episode of "Intervention."

► **Pat Healy**, music editor: I'd like independence from **Chris Brown**. Dude should have had his fame revoked altogether for the **Rihanna** incident, but what's worse is that he's more of a nuisance than ever with his **Dennis Rodman** 'do and

morning talk-show temper tantrums. Plus: He wore a pair of jean shorts to the BET Awards. Unforgivable!

► **Sam Castone**, editor: "The Hunger Games" movie. My choice is not a celebrity, but it's treated like one: Every casting announcement made the news, forcing me to now have an interest in the book. I'm not annoyed at all the publicity. I'm mad that it worked.

► **Gina Angelotti**, designer/writer: **Kristen Stewart**. Because that one-note pouty beanpole is still kickin' it with my imaginary vampire boyfriend.

► **T. Michelle Murphy**, theater critic: Any dads commenting on their daughters' every move because they are media whores and worse than pageant moms. (See: **Daddy Lohan**, **Billy Ray Cyrus**)

► **Amber Ray**, features editor: Can all the "Teen Mom" girls try to focus on their teen and/or mom job descriptions instead of scoring gossip magazine cover stories? Please?

► **Ned Ehrbar**, Hollywood correspondent: For me, it's a blanket reality TV request. No more "Jersey Shore" cast, "Bachelorette" contestants or "Real Housewives" of anywhere. They're cheapening our already deeply discounted pop culture landscape. Oh, and I'm maintaining my forced ignorance on what a **Kardashian** is.



All judges return to 'The Voice'

With high ratings and a huge fan base, it comes as no surprise that all four judges of "The Voice" — **Christina Aguilera**, **Adam Levine**, **Cee-Lo**

Green and **Blake Shelton** — are signing back on for the second season, which will get underway in 2012. Aguilera "is very excited" for the next season, an insider close to the singer tells Us Weekly. "It has been an amazing experience for her!"

Talking points



Richards adopts girl

Denise Richards, the ex-wife of **Charlie Sheen**, has adopted a baby girl from the United States. "**Eloise Joni Richards** is named after Denise's mom (Joni), and Denise and her daughters **Sam** and **Lo-la** chose the name **Eloise**," her rep told People. Her mother passed away in December 2007 from cancer. "Denise and Eloise's big sisters couldn't be happier and feel incredibly blessed."

Speaking of Sheen ...

Charlie Sheen is coming clean about abusing steroids while making "Major League," his 1989 comedy. "Let's just say that I was enhancing my performance a little bit. It was the only time I ever did steroids," he tells Sports Illustrated. "You can print this, I don't give a f—. My fastball went from 79 [miles-per-hour] to like 85."



Independence Day weekend roundup

1: Comedian Stephen Colbert addresses the media after attending a Federal Election Commission hearing to ask for a media exemption to create a political action committee Thursday in Washington, D.C. Colbert was given the go ahead from the FEC to launch a super political action committee to raise unlimited amounts of campaign cash for the upcoming 2012 political season.

2: Actresses Glenn Close, left, and Rose Byrne attend the screening of the Season Four Premiere of "Damages" at Paris Theatre on Wednesday in New York City.

3: Model Heidi Klum attends Hamptons Magazine July Fourth issue cover (featuring her!) celebration at STK on Wednesday in New York City.

4: Judah Friedlander shows his patriotism while attending the opening night of Cirque Du Soleil "Zarkana" at New York's Radio City Music Hall on Wednesday.

5: Patrick Dempsey greets fans at the "Late Show With David Letterman" at the Ed Sullivan Theater on Wednesday.

6: Jon Bon Jovi pumped up Dublin during a performance on Wednesday in Ireland.

7: Actor Josh Duhamel peeks out his window while leaving "Live With Regis And Kelly" Wednesday in New York.



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Go Fourth and party

Whether you're firing up the grill, picnicking in the park or gazing at fireworks with your crush, you'll need some holiday gear What you should wear and bring to the celebrations

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Barbecue

You don't have to wrap yourself in a flag to show your pride. Here's how you can wear patriotic colors and still look chic.

1. J Brand 1046 cut-off shorts, \$158, www.jbrandjeans.com
2. Element Salander shirt, \$42, www.elementeden.com
3. Element Enid tank, \$35, www.elementeden.com
4. Soludos x Opening Ceremony, \$35, www.openingceremony.us
5. Condiment gun, \$24, www.fredflare.com



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Bohemian picnic

A roomy maxi dress lets you stuff yourself all you want. Yes, you'll have another slice of strawberry shortcake!

1. Madewell the trekker slingback, \$218, www.madewell.com
2. Free People Goddess Long Tube dress, \$168, www.freepeople.com
3. Blu Moon rancher hat with trim, \$75, www.shopplanetblue.com
4. Veggie Patch Veggie Dogs, \$4, Walmart Supercenters



Why should the vegetarians be deprived?

Fireworks date

A jumpsuit is perfect for an outdoor affair. You can sprawl out on the lawn and still be ladylike.

1. Zimmermann Ebony Rose Romper, \$253, www.bloomingdales.com
2. Urban Decay Lip Love in Failbait, \$16, www.sephora.com
3. Tina Tang Romeo Juliet Sword bracelet, \$195, www.tinatang.com
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Chipotle-Bacon Turkey Burger recipe.

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► Macy's Fourth of July Fireworks light up the Hudson, while leaving the East River in the dark once again.

Apparently, the best place to watch the fireworks is from Katy Perry's chest. But if access is an issue, then take a ride on World Yacht's Princess ship at Pier 81 (www.worldyacht.com).

Anyone who can afford the \$300 price tag is welcome to the dance party with a first-class view of the fireworks right from the Hudson River, where all the action will be popping off.

It's not every year a nation turns 235, so the East River must feel more

Fourth on 18th

Jimmy on the 18th floor of the James Hotel in SoHo will be opening at noon on the Fourth.

► It'll be a good idea to get there early, because it's sure to be packed by the time Macy's kicks off the celebration at 9 p.m. Jimmy sports an outdoor fireplace and an outstanding view of the city and the river (www.jameshotels.com).

dumpier than usual since it once again wasn't invited to the party. For Brooklyn residents, that means they'll have to schlep over the bridges to catch the best views. Still, it might be worth it to buy a pair of binoculars and visit the hot dog specialists at Bark's newest location atop the roof of Brooklyn's Pier 6 (www.barkhotdogs.com).

If you're the type that relishes crowds more than relish, consider stopping by the newly opened Terrace at

Yotel (www.yotel.com), the largest hotel terrace in Manhattan, and take in the view from a private cabana.

Or splurge on the Hudson Terrace at 46th St. (www.hudsonterrancenyc.com), where they'll be serving all-you-can-eat barbecue and a four-hour open bar from 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Tables are booking fast, but \$300 platinum VIP seats are still available.

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Cocktail recipe



► The Berry Berry Fizz is sure to ooh and ahh.

Create your own fireworks with the Berry Berry Fizz

Ingredients

- 1 (10-ounce) bag frozen strawberries, defrosted
- 4 tablespoons honey
- 1 (8-ounce) bag frozen blueberries
- 1 liter seltzer or sparkling water

How to make it:

In a food processor, puree the sliced strawberries, with their juice, and honey until smooth. To assemble the drink: Pour a generous spoonful of the fruit puree into a champagne flute. Add a few frozen blueberries

and top with seltzer. Repeat with remaining ingredients.

— Courtesy of Sunny Anderson

Tune in

'Sunny's All-American Celebration'

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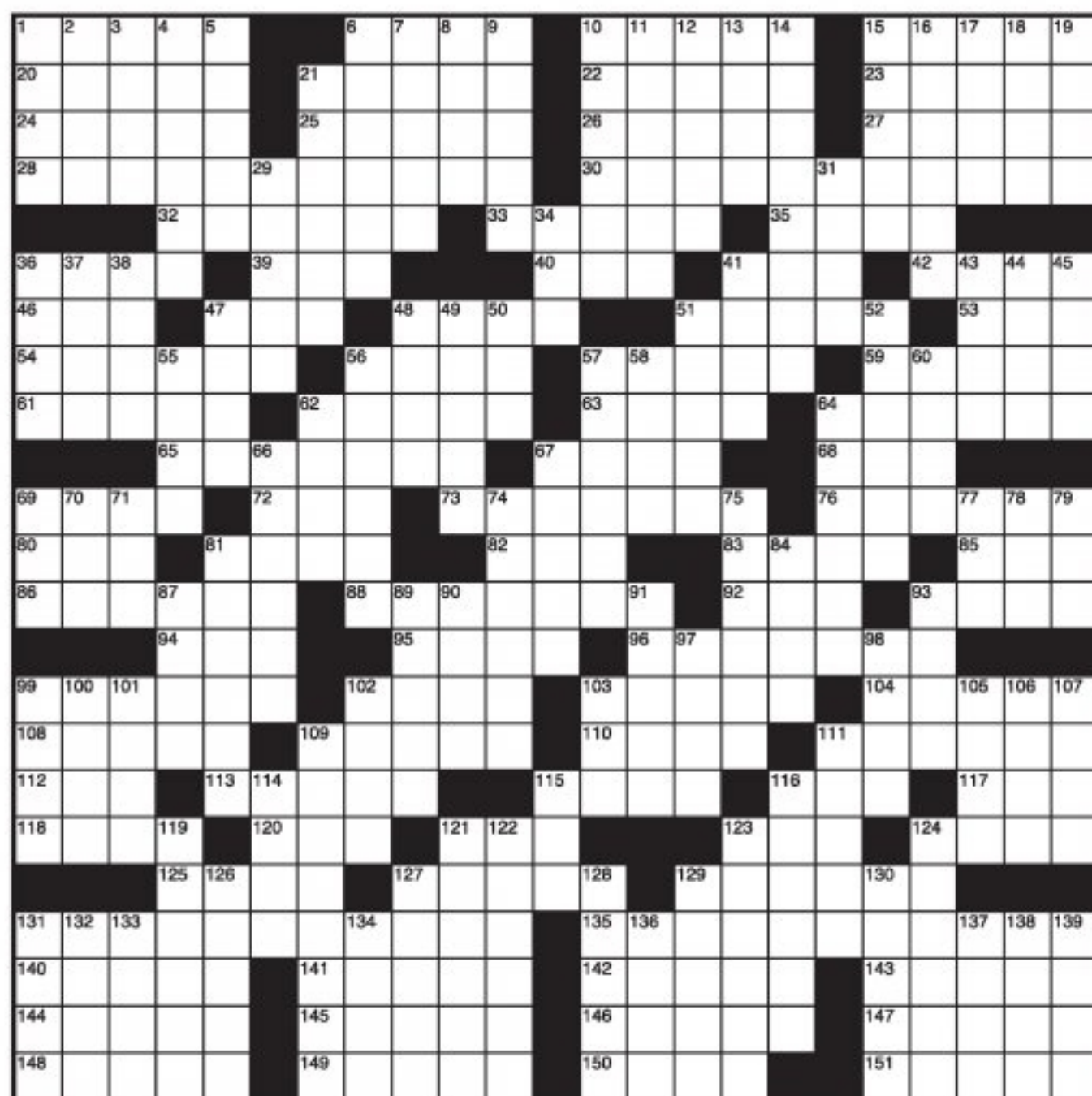
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PUZZLES

► It's July 4 weekend and we all need stuff to keep us occupied between parties ► Tackle our crosswords, 3-D sudoku and Ken Ken

ANSWERS (page 18)



ACROSS

- 1 Hollows
6 Party-thrower's plea
10 Spouse's brother (hyph.)
15 Late summer flower
20 Call for a new survey
21 Iris center
22 Steam bath
23 Gradient
24 Jung's inner self
25 Booster rocket
26 Chef's attire
27 Bleached out
28 Steakhouse choice (2 wds.)
30 Kept from seeing
32 Ogled
33 Propagate
35 A Saarin
36 Undulating
39 Turner of TV
40 Pacino and Unser
41 Home page addr.
42 Fine spray
46 Berg or floe
47 Flit about
48 Medicine chest item (hyph.)
51 Sound a bell
53 — — standstill
54 Primitive, often
56 Gals' partners
57 Walking — —
59 Enthusiastic
61 Word of welcome
62 Having a good physique
63 Prize fight
64 Puget Sound port
65 Chilean novelist
67 Swit co-star
68 Lyric poem
69 Nope (hyph.)
72 Sothern or Blyth
73 Seek old haunts
76 Accounts book
80 Not masc.

- 81 This, to Juan
82 Cut timber
83 Maintain
85 Antiquity
86 Apollo's priestess
88 Bowler hats
92 Little kid
93 Ottoman VIPs
94 Boat implement
95 Desk material
96 Apple-pie order (3 wds.)
99 Court game
102 Maltese remark
103 Like nice grapes
104 Hindu sacred writings
108 Sci-fi thriller
109 Works the soil
110 Ms. Anderson
111 High waistline
112 Sass
113 Mild oaths
115 Island off Scotland
116 "— Kapital"
117 Flag Day grp.
118 Movie's need
120 Tint
121 Add sound effects
123 Prickly seedcase
124 Free ticket
125 Silica mineral
127 Fable author
129 Existential writer
131 Handy tool
135 Low-budget travelers
140 Knockout gas
141 Yurt dweller
142 Great Buddhist king of India
143 Undeliverable mail
144 Lower leg
145 Vote in
146 Witch-hunt locale
147 Catty
148 — -turvy
149 Bull-riding event
150 Inspected
151 Organic compound

DOWN

- 1 Sabatini opponent
2 Ms. Riefenstahl
3 "Iron Man" Zatopek
4 That is to say
5 Burst of activity
6 Mountainous
7 Blow a paycheck
8 In — veritas
9 Backup (2 wds.)
10 Juan Peron's widow
11 Port near Pompeii
12 Like the tabloids
13 Prolific auth.
14 Rolling stone
15 Regarding (2 wds.)
16 Zigzag course
17 Lincoln in-law
18 Fencing blade
19 Funny fox
21 In twos
29 Alloy component
31 Declined
34 Break-dance music
36 Also starring
37 Lot size, often
38 Conceal
41 Moon — Zappa
43 Shakespeare villain
44 Quell
45 O'Hara estate
47 Liverpool poky
48 — pro quo
49 Mary — Moore
50 Devotee's suffix
51 Hawaiian island
52 Chief
55 Humdrum
56 Revved the engine
57 Necessitate
58 Gives silent assent
60 Breezed through
62 Twisted
64 El Greco's city
66 Surgical devices
67 Circumvent
69 Roswell crasher
70 Any ship

- 71 Ms. Thurman
74 Nudges
75 Japanese straw mat
77 Golly!
78 TV Tarzan portrayer
79 Hwy.
81 She loved Lancelot
84 Mae West persona
87 Ice-cream treat
89 Big pitchers
90 Motel vacancy
91 Beauty parlor
93 Noise from a pager
97 Centurion's moon
98 Zoo workers (abbr.)
99 Powder base
100 Charles Lamb
101 Bites
102 Compelled
103 Arafat's org.
105 Prima donna
106 Kennel sounds
107 Works as a tailor
109 "Absalom, Absalom" writer
111 Sagan's "pale blue dot"
114 Steps to the Ganges
115 Nigerian tribe
116 Duke locale
119 Remembrances
121 Mar
122 Did, once (2 wds.)
123 Provided capital
124 Large ducks
126 Cheerful
127 Intended
128 Stage
129 Mink item
130 Dishwasher cycle
131 Ant or roach
132 He overthrew Galba
133 Bloke
134 — contendere
136 By Jove! (2 wds.)
137 Off-ramp
138 Tease mercilessly
139 Psychic

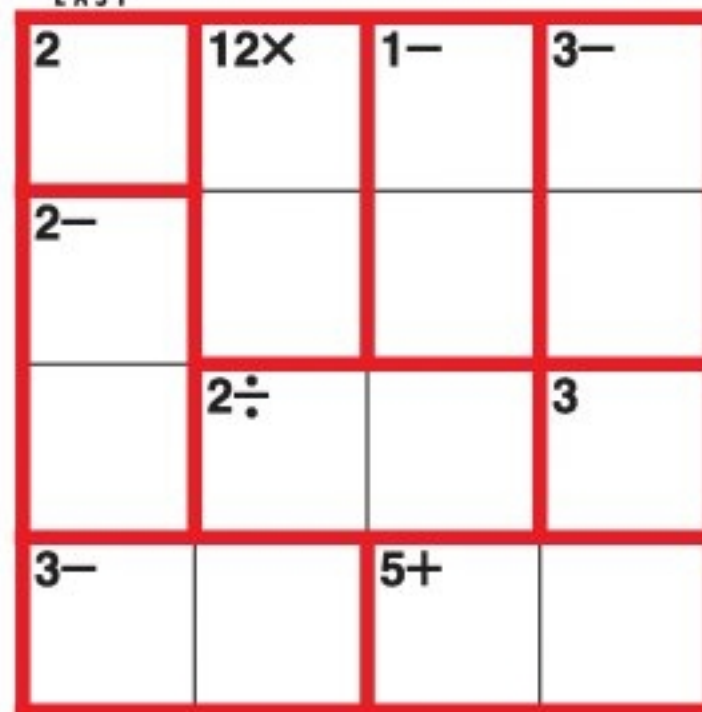
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THE LOGIC PUZZLE THAT MAKES YOU SMARTER

RULES:

- Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 4 (easy) or 1 through 6 (challenging) without repeating.
- The numbers within the heavily outlined boxes, called cages, must combine using the given operation (in any order) to produce the target numbers in the top-left corners.
- Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.

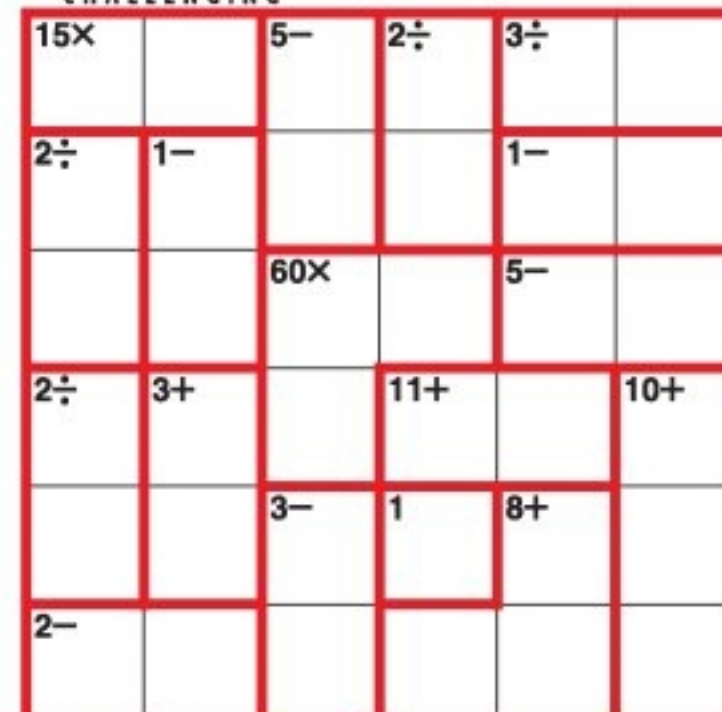
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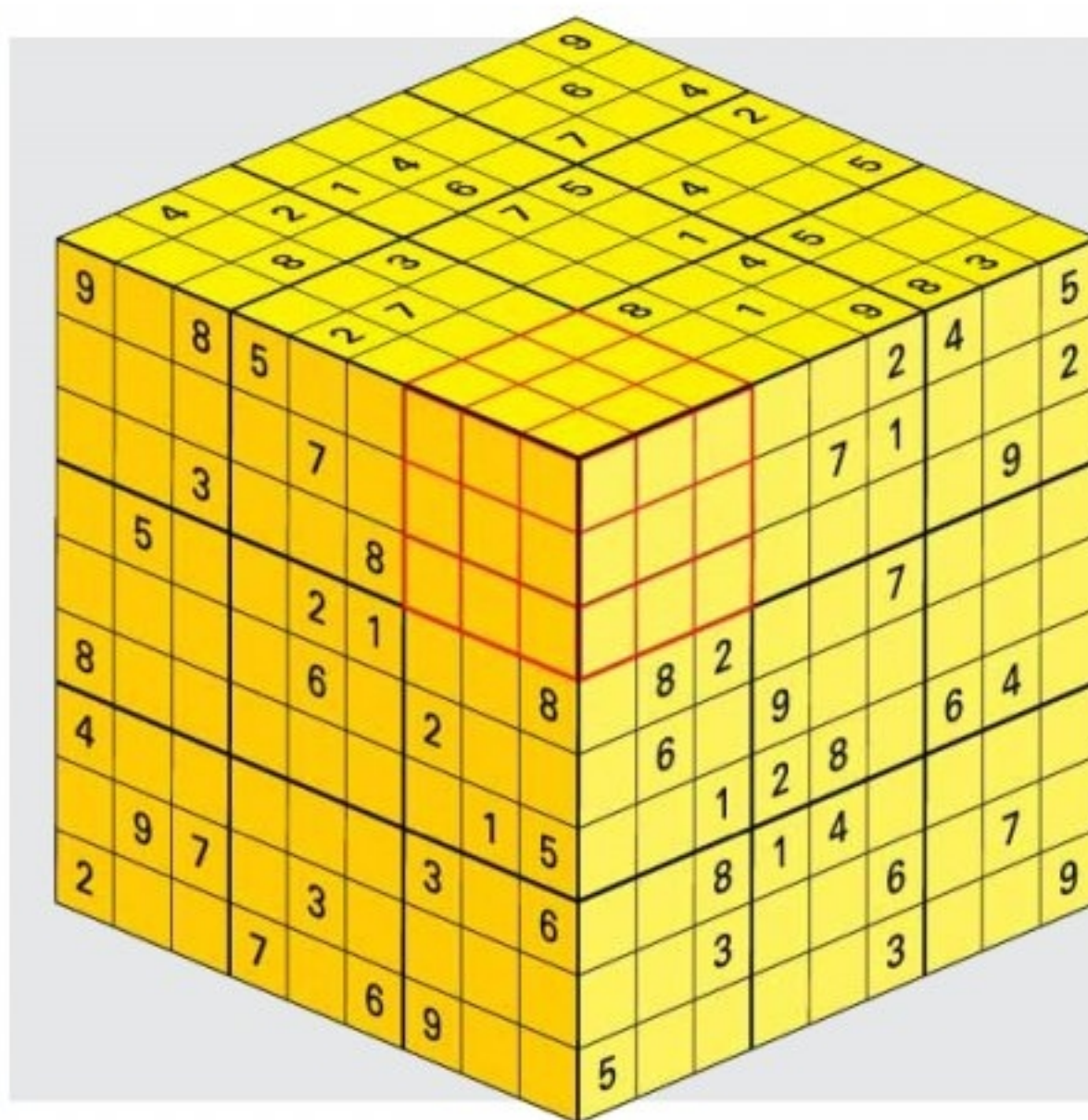


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SUDOKU TRIPLES

How to play

- ▶ Sudoku Triples consists of three standard Sudoku panels, sharing one set of 3-by-3 boxes.
- ▶ Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.
- ▶ Each 3-by-3 box in the shared section of the three panels is filled in identically.
- ▶ Therefore, finding a number in one box in the shared section advances the other boxes.



WORKSPACE

AS YOU WALK ON BY

BY TODD SANTOS

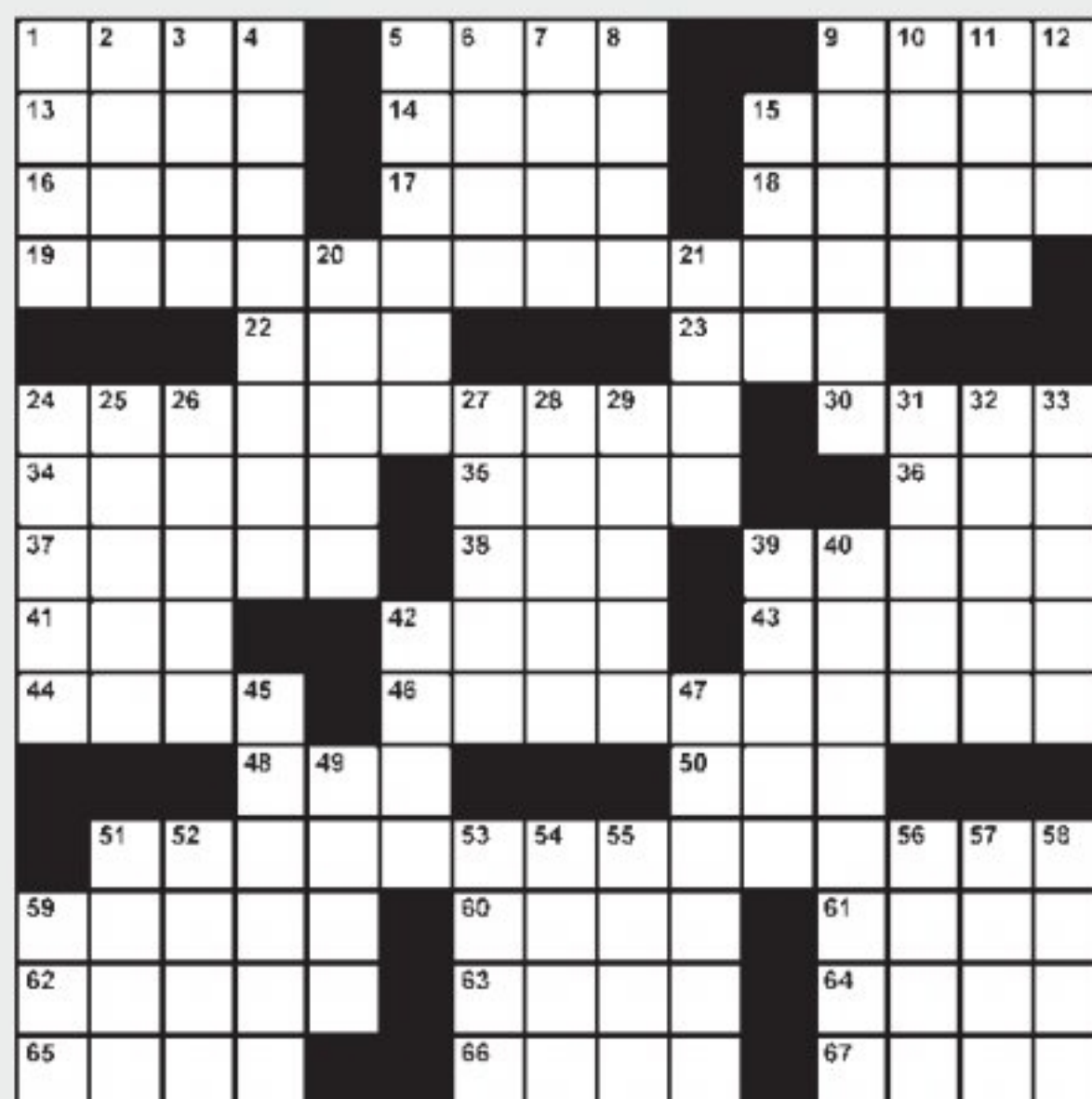
ACROSS

- 1 Scrambled Urge Overkill song?
5 "Holy Dogs" band
9 Location of a festival
13 Pearl Jam: "___ Act"
14 Dancehall's Banton
15 Singer Mariah
16 George Harrison's "___ It a Pity"
17 Sign at the back of a bar
18 Rise Against: "Audience ___"
19 Jam band String ___
22 Free (of a member)
23 Bottom-line tour earnings
24 Van Halen song that resonates?
30 ___ Teng
34 Big Head Todd: "___ Song"
35 Chicago indie rock band, The ___
36 ___ service (promoter's strength)
37 Ferry or Adams
38 Concert shirt
39 Bowie: "___ Girl"
41 Lennon's love Yoko
42 Legendary Turner
43 Zep song off "Physical Graffiti" (with "the")
44 Death Cab: "Why ___ Want to Live Here"
46 Singer's voice
48 What Flock of Seagulls did?

- 50 Brenda K. Starr: "Por ___ Hambre"
51 Simple Minds song for models?
59 Royal ___ Revue
60 Musical hero
61 Japanese guitar manufacturer
62 Paul Stanley: "Take Me Away (Together ___)"
63 Beatles: "If I ___"
64 Relax between gigs
65 Gig spots for starter bands
66 MJ's home state
67 Rocker/movie star outing

DOWN

- 1 "All By Myself" singer Carmen
2 Pumpkins' first album
3 Hall and Oates: "She's ___"
4 Joan Osborne hit
5 Oregon's Life at These ___
6 Harry Chapin hit
7 "Stick ___ the fridge ..." (G. Love)
8 What some Kiss Army members are in?
9 Concert security purpose
10 Black Sabbath: "___ Man"
11 Festival need
12 Visual Smashing Pumpkins song?
15 Fourth Pearl Jam album, "No ___"
20 Sound heard in Kiss' "Firehouse"
21 Signs, as a deal
24 Ted Nugent's ___ Dukes
25 Beatles: "___ One"
26 "Run ___" (Whitney Houston)
27 "It's gettin' ___ here ..."
28 Country's Shane
29 Bob Marley's soccer shoe projection
31 "You're Not Alone" trip hoppers
32 Reggae's Terry
33 "Never Tear Us ___" (INXS)
39 Weird Al: "Matter of ___"
40 Simon And Garfunkel: "___ Bound"
42 Album cover hue
45 Music ___ out the outside world
47 Kinks: "You ___ Got Me"
49 Actress who played Mrs. Robinson
51 Superdrag: "Destination ___ Major"
52 "Willy and the ___ Boys" (CCR)
53 LP player
54 Heavenly 10,000 Maniacs song?
55 Freezing post-grunge band?
56 Practice space
57 Set ___ (song order)
58 "Love and Anger" singer Bush Kravitz: "Mr. ___ Driver"



PUZZLE ANSWERS

{From pages 16-17}

G	L	E	N	S		R	S	V	P		I	N	L	A	W		A	S	T	E	R		
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2	3	1	4
2-	3	4	2
1	2+	4	3
3-	4	1	3
4	1	3	2

EASY

16x	5	3	1	4	2	6
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2+	2	4	3	5	6	1
2+	3	1	4	6	5	2
60x	6	2	5	1	4	3
2-	4	6	2	3	1	5

CHALLENGING

SUDOKU TRIPLES

TOP

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ROCK AND ROLL

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POLITICS

1: What Foggy Bottom assistant was unwittingly pulled into a Twitter scandal?

2: At press time, how many children has Detective John Kimble admitted to?

3: What movement started by the 37th president celebrated a milestone in June?

4: Where were the first post-shooting photos of Arizona Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords released?

5: Why did Obama hug Patricia Smith?

6: As of June 23, how many people have declared their candidacy for president in 2012?

7: Who had to stifle a cough during a tense moment in May?

8: What historic event did the pride of Sandpoint, Idaho, get mixed up about in June?

9: How many people live in President Obama's great-great-grandfather's home town?

10: Which millionaire didn't know why \$7.35 was so important?

SPORTS

1: The N.Y. Yankees have retired the number that is equal to the difference in Hank Aaron and Babe Ruth's career home run totals including postseason games. Who wore it?

2: Which U.S. men's national soccer team star was "denied again" seconds before Landon Donovan gave the Americans a spot in the round of 16 at the 2010

World Cup?

3: Who won a 2010 mixed martial arts bout between a former UFC heavyweight champion and a former World's Strongest Man?

4: In what arena did Eva Longoria's ex play his home games during the 2010-11 season?

5: A Gene Hackman movie was filmed in the arena that houses the team that lost the 2011

NCAA men's basketball championship game. In what state was it set?

6: Which team was Terrell Owens purportedly the property of between the San Francisco 49ers and the Philadelphia Eagles?

7: What is the only horse to finish second in all three Triple Crown races?

8: Atlanta Braves second baseman Dan

Uggla set a record by committing three errors in a nationally televised game in July 2008. What was his team's opponent in that game?

9: What was the final non-qualifying NASCAR race completed by Dale Earnhardt?

10: The Boston Red Sox franchise has existed since 1901. Why didn't they win an AL East title until 1975?

CELEBRITIES

1: Two teen idols from today wore T-shirt emblazoned with a teen idol from the '80s to two recent awards show. Name the two teen idols from today.

2: Which ex-wife of a disgraced former TV star briefly appeared on a newly-launched reality TV show?

3: When one reality TV star got engaged, there were equines there of a rather different variety to help mark the occasion. What made these ponies different?

4: Who is January Jones's baby daddy?

5: One winning gossip rag fixture made the Guinness Book of

World Records this year. For what?

6: This sister of a deceased singing superstar recently released a memoir. What was its name?

7: One reality TV star wrote a New York Times best-selling novel this year. What was its protagonist's name?

8: Who is the US's highest paid reality TV star?

9: One comedian was recently deported from Japan but lived to tweet about it. What's his Twitter handle?

10: Where did the female lead of "Love Happens" meet her current flame?

GENERAL

1: The summer solstice was June 21. Which HBO show tagline describes our current state of affairs?

2: With two deaths in the last three months, this is one of the most dangerous types of Guinness World Record to hold. What is it?

3: Which metonymic New York street was

the site of an important Buttonwood tree?

4: What do scientists believe the real-life animal Hydra has in common with the father of the man who killed the mythological Hydra?

5: Three first cousins fought in a war, but only one stayed in his job long enough to pass it to his son. Which memory-addled

actor played that son in an Oscar-winning film?

6: Which 51-second Beatles song is one of the rare tunes credited to all four members of the group?

7: Who was TIME's Man of the Year when the man who was Man of the Year during the most recent Man of the Year's birth year was born?

8: Who was the last man to be both the last president and the last vice president of his political party?

9: Which fast-food chain's interior design was a reaction to Upton Sinclair's "The Jungle"?

10: Which African nation's borders are often erroneously said to have been determined by cannonball?

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(For the curious: Yes, you can use Google — but we knew you all would anyway so we tried to make them hard!)

TELEVISION

- 1: Which PBS series that aired over 12 episodes in 1973 is often credited as the first example of a now-prevalent TV genre?
- 2: On "The Simpsons," the man who sold Springfield a monorail also sold them to other towns. What were they?
- 3: Which celebrity has his taxes prepared for free, for life, thanks to a famous blunder he made on television?
- 4: Which HBO series' theme song hit No. 2 on the Norwegian charts in 2009?
- 5: Which actor can credit his agent's locker room dealings at a hockey game for helping him land a starring role in a recently canceled ABC series?
- 6: Which actress has starred in 10 or more episodes of four different canceled shows since 2003, earning her the

nickname "show killer"?

- 7: What's the name of the band — in real life — that plays at the punk show James Franco's character attends in an episode of "Freaks and Geeks"?
- 8: Episodes of "I Love Lucy" were shot in color starting in the second season. During which season did the first "Lucy" episodes actually air in color?
- 9: A comedian signed off of a popular series with these words: "Nobody in life gets exactly what they thought they were going to get. But if you work really hard and you're kind, amazing things will happen." How many episodes of that series did he host?
- 10: Before his success with an influential HBO drama, which showrunner worked on a classic TV series whose anti-hero always charged his clients "\$200 a day, plus expenses"?

PHOTO ROUND

Some of these photos are famous; others, less so. Can you name the people in them?



MOVIES

- 1: A race of strange blue creatures has a movie coming out on July. What is the name of their distinctive hats?
- 2: Kevin Bacon recently appeared in "X-Men: First Class." Which of his co-stars on "X-Men" previously starred in a film with Kirsten Dunst, who co-starred with Brad Pitt in "Interview with a Vampire," who co-starred with Kevin Bacon in "Sleepers"?
- 3: "Disney's Nine Old Men" was a group of core animators and directors of the first classic Disney films. Which director, who has an animated movie out this summer, studied under them?
- 4: Which actor/director recently mourned that fact that his project's next sequel will be difficult to write because of another ensemble comic book film that's already in production?
- 5: "Horrible Bosses" features the song "How You Like Me Now?" by The Heavy. In what other movie, coming out in August, does the song feature in the trailer?
- 6: In the beginning of the first "Back to the Future" film, Marty McFly wakes up to meet Doc at the Twin Pines Mall. What song is playing on his alarm clock when he wakes up to meet him?
- 7: In "Bad Teacher" Cameron Diaz holds a car wash to earn money for the school. What was the imagined name of the character who washes a car in "Cool Hand Luke"?
- 8: According to a classic film, what was the best field for college graduates in 1968?
- 9: A new "Planet of the Apes" movie is coming out in August. Who has been in more "Planet of the Apes" movies than any other cast member?
- 10: Which close male friend of Elizabeth Taylor has two movies coming out this summer?

MONEY & FINANCE

- 1: What are the four porcine countries at the heart of the European debt crisis?
- 2: What form of shoplifting that's on the rise do some economists say is a sign of economic recovery?
- 3: Billionaire Peter Thiel is paying wannabe entrepreneurs to drop out of college. Roughly how many years of tuition at the average private university is Thiel's bounty worth?
- 4: In 2008, Cameron and Tyler Winklevoss received a settlement from Facebook worth millions. If the Winklevii had used that money to pick up the production costs of the film "The Social Network," how much would they have left over?
- 5: What was the worst day this year in exchange rates to be an American in Britain?
- 6: In March, a New York man attempted to sell one of these for \$1 million, ignoring that fact that they routinely go for less than \$100 on eBay. What is it?
- 7: Which fictional character helped increase NBC-Universal's theme park revenue by 16 percent?
- 8: Which bright yellow morsels have seen their sales drop 18 percent since 2010?
- 9: What did The Washington Post recently say was the leading driver of income inequality in America?
- 10: Which hot media trend did The Onion name "a bold business move"?

Deadline for entries is 5pm on Monday, July 11, 2011. Entries must be mailed to: trivia@metro.us. There is no alternative entry method. In the event of a tie, the winner will be drawn at random by an independent judge. The winner will be notified by e-mail by Friday, July 15. By entering this contest, for the purposes of transparency, you agree to allowing photographs to be taken of yourself with the prize, in the event that you are the winner and to such images, as well as your name, occupation and residential neighborhood, being published in the Metro newspapers and at the www.metro.us website. A photograph and details of the winner will be published in the Metro newspaper in the week beginning Monday, July 25. The decision of Metro shall be final on all matters concerning the contest and no correspondence will be entered in to. This offer is void where prohibited by law. Employees of Metro and Seabay Media Holdings, and their immediate families, are prohibited from participating in the contest.

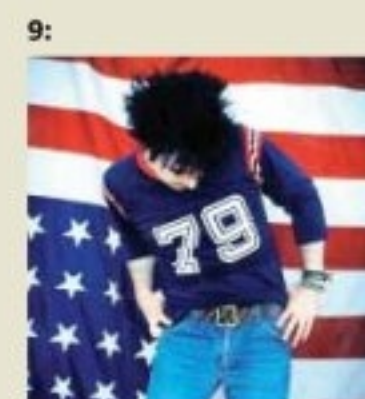
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- 1: Which group of publicity hounds is disbanding because they say they are "bored"?
- 2: In May, something did not happen. What day does the man who said that thing would happen now say we need to worry about something happening on?
- 3: Whose December 2010 suicide eventually ousted his president?
- 4: Which former university president saw his brother's California sojourn come to an unexpected end in June?
- 5: When the Duke of Cambridge kissed his Duchess in April, whose uniform did he wear?
- 6: Which chap with a repetitive name landed in some hot water over his choice of transportation?
- 7: Which murder trial saw fistfights erupt between spectators trying to snag a hot courtroom ticket?
- 8: What three-word euphemism did Defense Secretary Robert Gates use to describe the U.S. military action in Libya? (Adding that, to Muammar Gaddafi, it was probably just "war.")
- 9: When a 110-year-old man died in a Paris suburb in May, which British woman became the last of her kind?
- 10: Which confessed tax evader designed one of the world's largest nests?

MUSIC

- 1: While no musician has taken a version of the "Star Spangled Banner" to No. 1 on the Billboard charts, which New Jersey native took it to No. 6, 10 years after recording it?
- 2: Which orchestra has the longest-running record of playing a major free fireworks show on the Fourth of July?
- 3: Which outspoken musician recently suggested that Philadelphia could be the type of wild party destination on Fourth of July that New York City is on New Year's Eve?
- 4: Which classic rock band, with a high-flying patriotic name, had a guitarist who actually ran for President of the United States in 1980?
- 5: What seemingly happy-go-lucky folk song was written as an angry response to the patriotic Irving Berlin song that occasionally replaces "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" during the seventh inning stretch in some baseball games?
- 6: What was the first song with the word "America," "American" or "U.S.A." in the title to top the Billboard charts?

Can you name these three patriotic albums?



- 10: What classic American rock riff can be played by dialing 5-456-45 on your touchtone telephone?

Letters

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Freedom to love, part two

RE: "GAY RIGHTS AND WRONGS": The real issue here is whether the state should be able to use its coercive powers to either deny or allow two consenting adults to participate in a private contract. My opinion is no, the state should stay out of private contracts. The only time the state should get involved is when there is a dispute between the parties of the contract, and even then most disputes can be resolved through arbitration. Call it what you want, but don't impose your views on me.

KELLY DONNOE, LYNBROOK

What percentage of the country is gay? What percentage is jobless? I bet jobless is higher, but somehow it's played out like gay marriage is so important! I blame the media. I'm so sick of these small interest groups jamming their agendas down my throat! Media covers the 20 percent; meanwhile the 80 percent get blurbs here and there only to be made fun of by late-night talk-show hosts.

MIKE YAHOO, VIA E-MAIL

Just as two magnets of the same polarity will repel each other in nature, so should this be the case with gay and lesbian relations. This is the reason

why two people with the same reproductive organs cannot produce a baby. Not because I, or anyone else, said so; but for the simple fact that this is the way the creator laid out the blueprints for the human race to follow.

JONATHAN PERRY, VIA E-MAIL

Yes, it's true that some in the Old Testament practiced polygamy. It should be noted, however, that this is merely the recording of a historical fact and not necessarily intended as a didactic lesson. Yet even in those instances, the sexual union was still between a man and a woman.

JASON FARRELL, VIA E-MAIL

Tulips and roses: Different names but both are beautiful flowers. Male and female are two different names from the same species. Both get the same protection from law enforcement. Females go to female restrooms and males go to male restrooms. But both can defecate and urinate in their respective rooms. How is this not equal, though they are called different names?

ISAGANI MAGPANTAY, VIA E-MAIL

Upon reading Steven Ahern's letter yesterday, I laughed so hard I got looks. Steven's letter suggesting the term "schmarriage" for gay couples perfectly illustrates the ridiculousness of this issue. With the divorce rate at almost 50 percent, the "sanctity of marriage" has bigger problems.

ALISON SARDONINI, VIA E-MAIL

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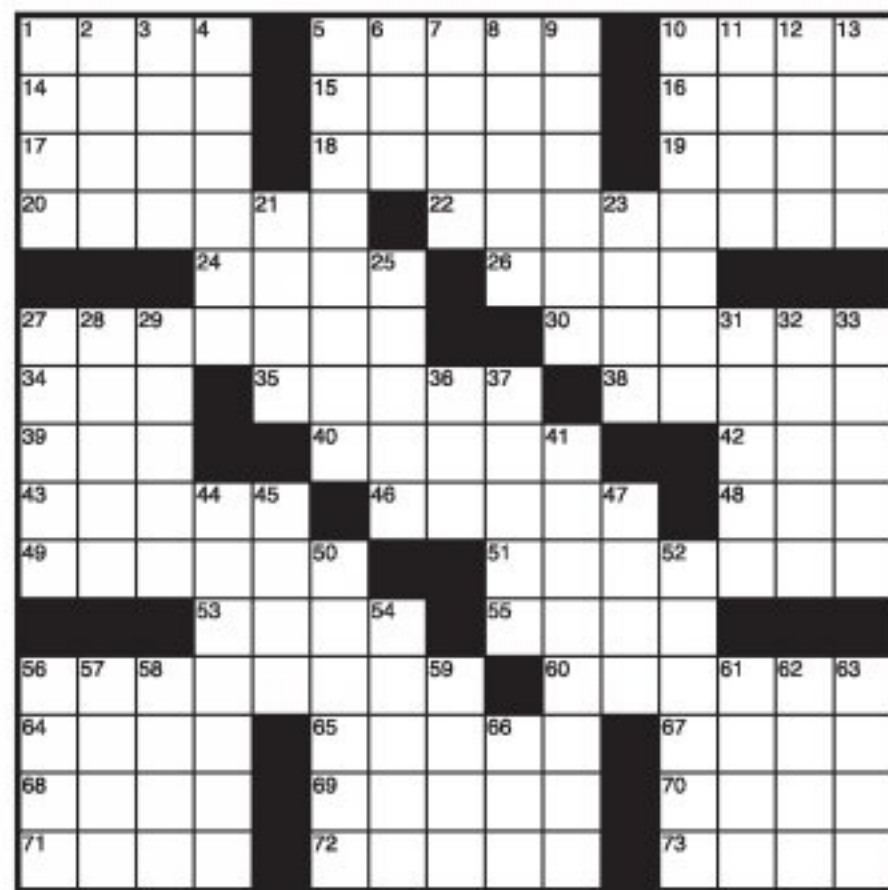
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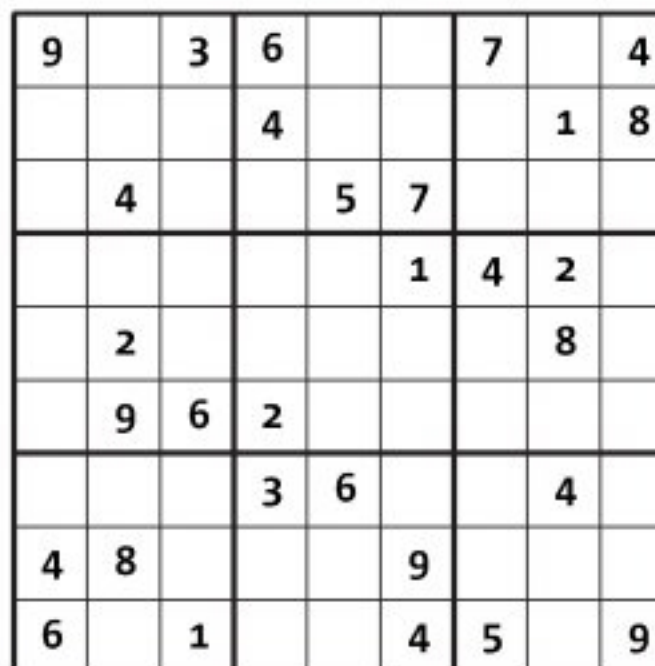
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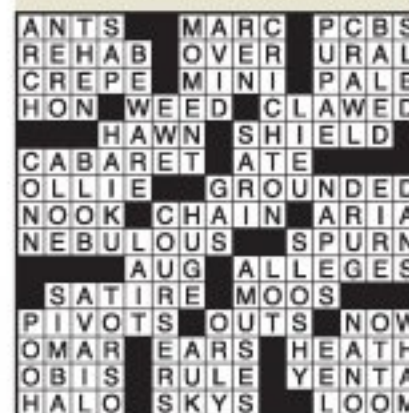
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Solution to Thursday's crossword



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♈ Aries March 21-April 19. In order to reach an agreement, it might be up to you to make a sensible concession, but do so only if your counterpart will reciprocate. Hopefully he or she will act on your cues.

♉ Taurus April 20-May 20. Beware of a disgruntled co-worker trying to involve you in a problem she or he created in order to take some of the blame off him or herself. Don't let this person get away with it.

♊ Gemini May 21-June 20. A companion might have something that could turn out to be a good deal, but not necessarily in the form it's being presented. Be sure to check it out first before agreeing to go along with it. **BERNICE BEDE OSOL**

Speed could be deciding factor in Subway Series

► Mets hope to beat Yanks with aggressiveness ► Rank second in MLB in stolen bases ► Bombers built to hit home runs, but can they at Citi Field?

Speed kills. That's just the way Terry Collins likes it.

"We preach it pretty regularly here. There are a lot of guys we give the green light," the Mets skipper told reporters June 19. "I like guys to know they have some freedom because they concentrate better on reading the pitcher."

Not when you play half your games in a park that eliminates the home run. The Mets rank 25th in baseball with 50 dingers. Exactly half of those have come at Citi Field, with its Grand Canyon-esque dimensions. The park has played mind games with hitters in its two-plus seasons, turning would-be homers into long singles or outs.

And the Mets know what they are. That's a team that pressures the opposition into making mistakes with their aggressiveness on the basepaths. It is a personality derived from Collins and personified in NL MVP candidate Jose Reyes.

Reyes leads the NL in batting average (.341), hits (113), triples (14) and runs scored (61). He is also second in stolen bases (28), tied for third in doubles (20) and ninth in OPS (.889). The Mets' 79 stolen bases are



► Alex Rodriguez and the Yanks took two of three from Jose Reyes and the Mets in May.

On TV Friday

Yankees at Mets,
7:10 p.m. (YES)

second most in baseball.

"We're not running for the sake of running. We have guys that can steal bases, and that's what we do," said Jason Bay. "Speed is a little more desired here in the National League, the way the game is played."

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Wins for the Yankees over the Mets all-time in 78 interleague games. The Yanks won the only World Series between them in 2000.

Enter the Yankees, which are ranked 21st in baseball defensively and have al-

lowed the fifth-most stolen bases with 61.

"When you're building an American League team, you're building it to score runs most of the time," Bay said. "You're not building it to steal a base here or there. You want guys that are going to drive the ball out of the ballpark."



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Sabathia says hello to his old friends

Three summers ago, Prince Fielder and Rickie Weeks enjoyed front-row seats as CC Sabathia led the Brewers to the postseason.

In Thursday's 5-0 victory, the Yankees' ace performed like the man who was 11-2 down the stretch in 2008 for Milwaukee, tying a career-high with 13 strikeouts as the Bombers won for the 15th time in 19 games.

"A lot of these guys I faced today, I played with and shared special moments with," Sabathia said. "I was really nervous."

If there was any nervousness, Sabathia didn't let his friends on the Brewers see it. He began by striking out the side in the first, getting Fielder on a fastball with Ryan Braun on base.

"It was like facing a Cy Young," Fielder said. "It was tough."

● LARRY FLEISHER

In the NBA

Game over

NBA owners were set to lock out players at midnight Thursday into Friday.

The sides tried and failed Thursday to reach an agreement on a new CBA. ● METRO

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By the numbers

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Adam Scott and Hunter Haas lead the AT&T National with 4-under 66 through one round at Aronimink Golf Club in suburban Philadelphia. Dean Wilson, Joe Ogilvie, Jhonattan Vegas and Kyle Stanley are tied for second at -3.

13

Maria Sharapova served for 13 double faults Thursday, but still managed to get past Sabine Lisicki in the Wimbledon semifinals, 6-4, 6-3. Sharapova will meet Czech No. 8 seed Petra Kvitova in Saturday's final.

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Rafael Nadal and Andy Murray and Jo-Wilfried Tsonga and Novak Djokovic will meet in the Wimbledon men's semis Friday.



1-0

Germany topped Nigeria 1-0 at the Women's World Cup on Thursday, clinching a spot in the quarterfinals. Simone Laudehr scored the goal on a 54th-minute volley.

Richards the prize on NHL's market

► Dallas C would help any team that signs him ► Kings and Maple Leafs reportedly pursuing the star ► Rangers should be in on the bidding, too

If the multiple high-profile trades during last week-end's NHL draft were an appetizer, consider the free agency period, which opens Friday, the main course.

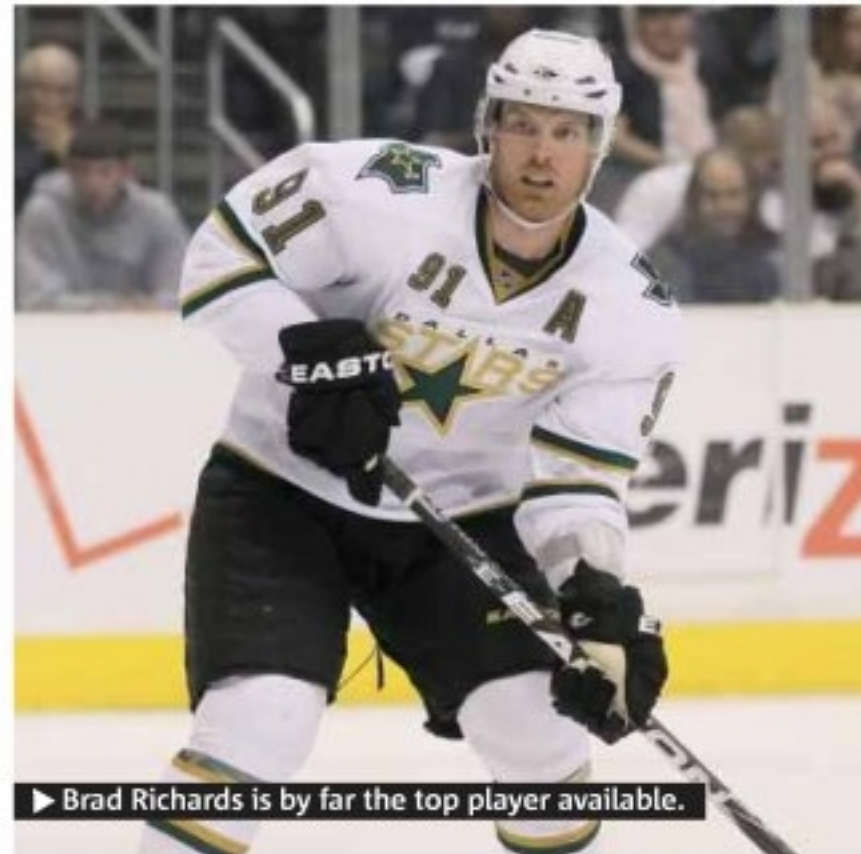
And the entree everyone wants, but few can afford, is Brad Richards.

The Dallas Stars center is the long-acknowledged free-agent prize. Richards is the rarest of commodities: a legitimate playmaking top-line center.

Entering his 11th season, he's averaged 71.6 points per year. Richards finished 2010-11 with 77 points in 72 games.

It's long been taken as a truism that Los Angeles and Toronto, among other franchises, will be in the bidding for Richards — as will the Rangers.

Richards was the unnamed topic of conversation when the Rangers



► Brad Richards is by far the top player available.

convened at the MSG training facility in April for the last availability of 2010-11.

"We have to add skill within our lineup," coach John Tortorella said. "We

need to look at all avenues. We're building the right foundation. We had some really good growth and some surprises."

Tortorella coached

Richards in Tampa Bay, where the duo won a Cup in 2004.

"When you get into the real stuff of the playoffs and play a skillful team like Washington, you can see where we need some help in that area," Tortorella said. "We'll have to look at all areas."

Marian Gaborik slumped badly in his second season with New York, netting 22 goals and 48 points.

The popular thinking is that Gaborik could revert to being a 40-goal scorer if paired on the top line with Richards. Richards could also breathe life and creativity into a power play that lacked both last season. The Rangers finished the regular season with a 16.9 percent efficiency.

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